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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****JAN 14 2008****AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph that begins on line 7 of page 1 and ends on line 21 of page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

The present application is being filed concurrently with United States patent application Ser. No. 10/626,495 now United States patent No. 7,236,765, which is entitled Data Communication Over Power Lines ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.53 US 01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 142557336 US)~~, United States patent application Ser. No. 10/626,465 now United States Patent No. 7,180,412, which is entitled Power Line Communication System Having Time Server ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.57 US 01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 442557340 US)~~, United States patent application Ser. No. 10/627,397 now United States Patent No. 6,998,936, which is entitled Endpoint Processing and Communication System ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.54 US 01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 155481401 US)~~, United States patent application Ser. No. 10/627,587 now United States Patent No. 7,102,490, which is entitled Endpoint Transmitter and Power Generation System ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.55 US 01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 155481415 US)~~, and United States patent application Ser. No. 10/627,590 now United States Patent No. 7,145,438, which is entitled Endpoint Event Processing System ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.56 US 01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 155481429 US)~~, the entire disclosures of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

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Please replace the paragraph that begins on line 17 of page 7 and ends on line 2 of page 8 with the following amended paragraph:

The distribution substation 102 shown in FIG. 1 provides power to a customer device or endpoint 104 via a distribution line 106. The distribution line 106 may be coupled to one or more step-down transformers before reaching the customer premise. The distribution line 106 provides the power necessary to operate electrical devices, located at the endpoint 104, which is a device at the customer premise. Endpoints are discussed in United States patent application Ser. No. 10/627,397 now United States Patent No. 6,998,936, which is entitled Endpoint Processing and Communication System ~~(which is identified by attorney docket no. 11838.54US01 and Express Mail mailing label no. EV 155481401 US)~~, the entire disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference.